Polio control programs include:

Pulse Polio

India's Pulse Polio Immunization Programme began in 1995 to vaccinate children under five years old against polio. The program is conducted twice a year with multiple rounds of sub-national immunization days in high-risk areas.

Supplementary immunization

Mass campaigns that immunize every child under five years old with the oral polio vaccine. This helps to catch children who missed other immunization opportunities and boosts immunity in those who have been immunized.

Expanded program on immunization (EPI)

India's EPI was launched in 1978 to make vaccination services available to all eligible children and pregnant women.

Fractional-dose IPV

A subcutaneous injection that uses a lower dose of the IPV vaccine. This method is more cost-effective and convenient than the original intramuscular injection.

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The polio eradication strategy for 2022–2026 includes:

- Advocacy to generate political will
- Community engagement to generate vaccine acceptance
- Campaign operation changes to improve frontline success
- Expanded integration efforts and unified partnerships to expedite progress

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National Immunization Day (NID) commonly known as Pulse Polio Immunization programme was launched in India in 1995, and is conducted twice in early part of each year. Additionally multiple rounds (at least two) of sub national immunization day (SNID) have been conducted over the years in high risk states/areas.

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The Global Polio Eradication Strategy 2022-2026 is available as a PDF on the World Health Organization (WHO) website:

- **Global Polio Eradication Initiative: Annual Report 2022**

The strategy is a guide for the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI) partners, donors, and affected country governments. It includes:

- A roadmap to achieve a polio-free world
- New tools and approaches, such as the novel oral polio vaccine type 2
- New operations tactics to address the COVID-19 pandemic
- Aggressive benchmarks to measure progress
- A plan to launch the Post-Certification Strategy (PCS)

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